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The Director noted that Ray Cline raised with him an apparently unresolved matter of high-level briefings [redacted]

[redacted] on Soviet force strength. The Director asked the DD/I for a memorandum pulling together the background on this question for his use in providing guidance for Cline when Cline returns from home leave.

12 September - Action taken:

Re Item 1 - The DDI has provided the DDCI with backup material in preparation for a special USIB meeting on the subject on 13 September. I presume the DDCI will advise the Director about the NSAM-156 meeting on 16 September.

Re Item 2 - The DDI has discussed this problem with the Director and will advise him further as necessary.

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